

SPONGE DIVERS.

Hardly a Single Caphander of Tripoli Escapes Paralysis.

There are a great many varieties of sponges, most of which are found in the warmer parts of the ocean. The bath sponges are chiefly obtained from the eastern half of the Mediterranean, where they occur at all depths down to 100 fathoms and are obtained by diving, dredging or harpooning.

Writing in Harper's Magazine, C. F. Furlong gives an account of the work of the Greek sponge divers off the coast of Tripoli, in north Africa. Attacks by sharks and dogfish have gradually frightened away the common divers, who dive naked with a piece of fat marlin and a line, and the field is left clear for the "caphanders," as the men are called who use air pump, suit and helmet.

The greatest enemy of the caphander is paralysis, hardly a single diver escaping from it in some form or other. The great cause of this disease is the sudden relief of pressure due to the rapid ascent, the dangerous symptoms appearing when the diver emerges into the fresh air.

Strange as it may seem, a partially paralyzed diver on descending into the water recovers the use of his limbs again, and his circulation becomes normal. To battle with this scourge the Greek government has issued regulations as to the depths to which a diver shall go and has also provided a hospital ship and a sponge divers' hospital on shore.

FREAKS OF RAZORS.

The Way the Grain of the Blades is Sometimes Reversed.

The finest grades of razors are so delicate that even the famous Damascus sword blades cannot equal them in texture. It is not generally known that the grain of a Swedish razor is so sensitive that its general direction is changed after a short service. When you buy a fine razor the grains run from the upper end of the outer point toward the diagonal direction toward the handle. Constant stropping will twist the steel until the grain appears to be straight up and down. Subsequent use will drag the grain outward from the edge, so that after steady use for several months the fiber of the steel occupies a position exactly the reverse of that which it did on the day of purchase. The process also affects the temper of the blade, and when the grain sets from the lower outer points toward the back you have a razor which cannot be kept in condition even by the most conscientious barber. But there's another curious freak that will take place in the same tool: If you have the razor alone for a month or two and take it up, you will find that the grain has assumed its first position. The operation can be repeated until the steel is worn through to the back.—Grand Magazine.

Old Scottish Sanctuary.

The old sanctuary of the Abbey and Palace of Holyrood House, to quote the full description, was an interesting institution. The debtor was free from arrest during the week. On entering the sanctuary he enrolled himself in a formal manner and obtained a room—namely, if he could pay for it. There was a public house within the boundaries, and it was not uncommon to find the debtor in the inn playing dominoes and his creditor standing looking at the window with wistful eyes. The debtor was safe, and he knew it, and the face of the creditor told the same tale. Sunday being a dies non, the debtor could leave his sanctuary and visit his family, but he had to be careful to get back to Holyrood on Sunday night. Sometimes a debtor had the generosity to leave on a week day, but he did so at his peril.—London Globe.

The English of It.

A lady, accompanied by her small son, was making various purchases at the army and navy stores in London. The boy grew tired.

"Who are you buying those for?" he asked.

"Why, for father," was the reply.

"Father in heaven or father in law?" the boy persisted.

The lady mentioned the remark to a friend, who, thinking it amusing, repeated it to an Englishwoman at a church a few days later. The Englishwoman listened sympathetically. "Poor woman!" she sighed. "She was married twice."—Everybody's Magazine.

A Different Proposition.

The Pompos Director (holly)—Why did you refuse to give my son a fair chance to show what he could do? Don't you believe in introducing young blood in the business? Superintendent—No, but not young bloods.—Puck.

Out of the Usual.

"I have something novel in the way of a melodrama."

"State your case."

"The blacksmith is a rascal, while the banker is as honest as the day is long."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

It is not the strength but the duration of great sentiments that makes great men.—Friedrich Nietzsche.

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The good lady hurried off to prepare for the unexpected guest, and, seeing, as she thought, her husband washing, as was the custom in those days, at the family sink, she seized the family Bible, approached stealthily from behind and brought down the ponderous tome upon his bald pate, exclaiming:

"Tak' ye that for bringing hungry preachers here to dinner every time they come to the parish."

As soon as the assaulted one could get the suds out of his eyes he looked about him and, after thinking the matter out, concluded that the old lady had made a slight mistake. She, too, came to the same conclusion when, on returning to the parlor, she beheld her husband patiently waiting for his reverend friend!—Dundee Advertiser.

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Her Uncooked Gown.

Miss Flinch—Miss Newthought has gone the limit with her vegetarianism; Miss Furbelow—Why, what is her latest? Miss Flinch—She actually refuses to wear anything but raw silk gowns now.—New York Press.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Under and by virtue of a fi fa issued out of the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Alachua county, wherein W. H. Lee is plaintiff, and George Rose, as Administrator of the Estate of Sarah Rose Wood, deceased, is defendant, said fi fa being directed to all and every the sheriffs of the State of Florida, greeting: I, L. W. Fennell, Sheriff of Alachua county, Florida, have levied upon and will sell before the court house door in the City of Gainesville, Alachua county, Florida, on Monday, the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1908, the same being legal sale day, between the legal hours of sale, to the highest and best bidder therefor, for cash, the following described property situate in Alachua county, Florida, to-wit: Commencing at the Northwest corner of Bellamy avenue and Quail street, thence North 150 feet to place of beginning, thence North 47 feet, thence West 165 feet, thence South 47 feet, thence East 165 feet to place of beginning, being a part of lot 2, of W. L. Sims' survey of the Town of Melrose, in Section 13, Township 9, South of Range 22, East, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining. The said above property to be sold as the property of Sarah Rose Wood, deceased, to satisfy said fi fa and costs.

July 1st, 1908.

L. W. FENNELL,
Sheriff of Alachua County, Fla.
CARTER & LAYTON,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

MASTER'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of foreclosure of lien made and rendered on the 30th day of June, 1908, by the Hon. J. T. Wills, Judge of the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Alachua county, in a certain chancery cause therein pending, wherein the City of Gainesville, a municipal corporation under the laws of Florida, is complainant, and John Cowan is defendant, I, the undersigned, as Special Master in Chancery, will sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, before the court house door, in the City of Gainesville, Alachua county, Florida, on Monday, the third day of August, 1908, between the legal hours of sale, the following described land, lying, being and situated in Gainesville, Alachua county, Florida, to-wit: Lots Two (2) and Three (3) in the East half of Block Five (5), Brown's Addition to Gainesville.

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining. Said property to be sold to satisfy said decree and costs. Terms cash.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 998, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that L. J. Burkhin, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 97, dated the 4th day of July, A. D. 1908, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, to-wit:

That part of Block 4 of Subd. 1 of R. R. Sec. 1, T. 9 S., R. 12 E., 4th Sec., on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1908.

Witness my official signature and seal this 10th day of July, A. D. 1908.

S. H. WIERGES,
Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

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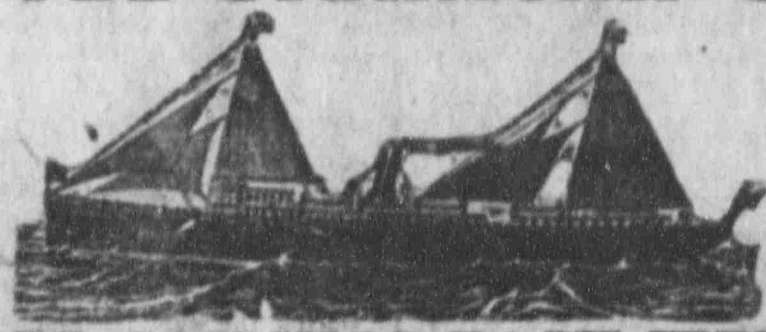
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